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Serial No. 08/486,070

Group Art Unit: 1631

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Examiner: Ardin H. Marschel, Ph.D.

Title: **COMPOSITION OF MATTER COMPRISING PLURALITY OF SUBSTRATE SURFACES AND SOLID SUPPORT COMPRISING AN ARRAY OF SUBSTRATE SURFACES FOR NUCLEIC ACID ANALYSES AND APPLICATIONS, AND OTHER COMPOSITIONS AND SYSTEMS EMPLOYING CHEMICALLY LABELED OLIGONUCLEOTIDES OR POLYNUCLEOTIDES**
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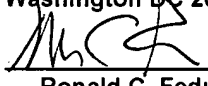
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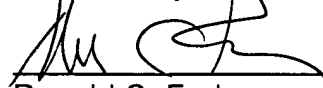
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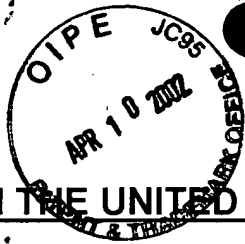
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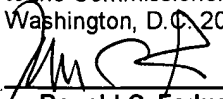
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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated October 10, 2001 of the Primary Examiner, finally rejecting claims 718-1265. Applicants' August 27, 2001 Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 is being concurrently filed with this paper.

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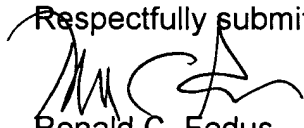
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